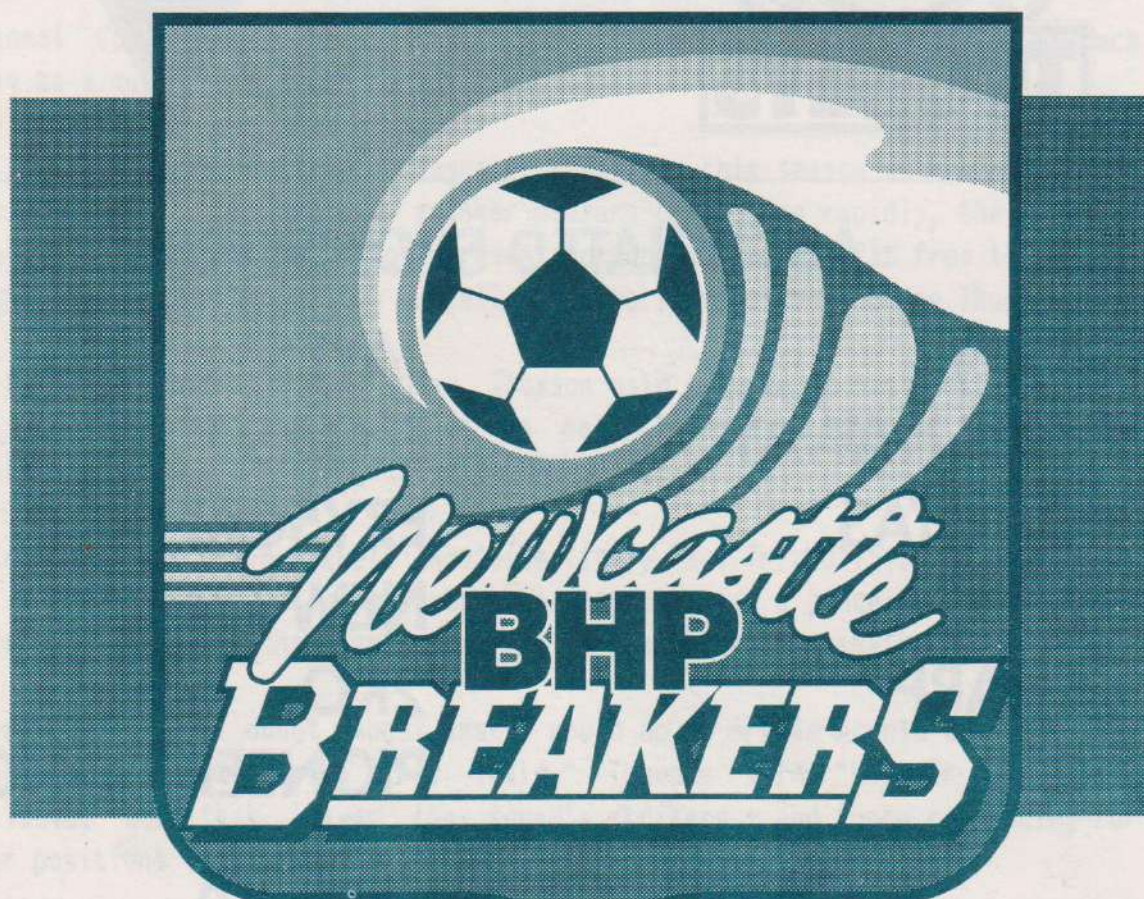


PROUDLY SPONSORED BY:



Newcastle's
BHP
Steel



Mitre10

STADIUM

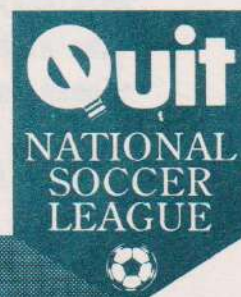
VS

SOCCEROO'S

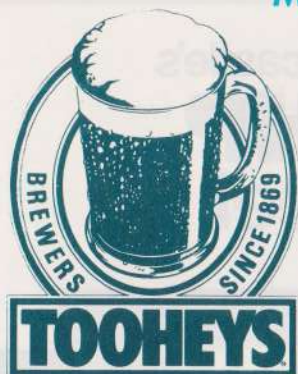
Wednesday 22nd January – Kick off 7.45 p.m.



1991-92
NATIONAL SOCCER
LEAGUE OF AUSTRALIA



MAJOR SPONSORS



ASSOCIATED SPONSORS

NBN
CLEANAWAY
QANTAS
BHP
SHARP
2NX

JAYES
ELGAS
EZYSCAF
NEW FM
2KO
PIONEER CONCRETE

CHARLESTOWN TOYOTA

NEWCASTLE BUSES

NEWCASTLE PERMANENT BUILDING SOCIETY

POSTAL ADDRESS

Austral United Soccer Football Club Ltd.,
Sandgate Road, Birmingham Gardens
N.S.W. 2287

Telephones

Club 049 51 2475 Fax 049 50 1712
Restaurant 049 51 3085

MEET OUR GUESTS

In tonight's match against the Newcastle BHP Breakers, and in the three match series against Sweden, no player's position is secure in this highly competitive Socceroo squad.

National Coach Eddie Thomson has made it quite clear that there is no such thing as a guaranteed squad berth.

In a topsy-turvy National League competition this season with many 'stars' failing to deliver and many younger players developing rapidly, the grab for positions will be intense. Those present tonight should benefit from this, with prospective Socceroos pulling out all stops to impress coach Eddie Thomson.

In announcing his 18 player squad, Thomson paid tribute to his regular defence and midfield, and put the onus on the strikers to deliver the goods. A reflection perhaps on the low-scoring NSL season.

Central strikers Steve Maxwell (Adelaide City), Paul Trimboli (South Melbourne) and Warren Spink (Preston) will each be competing for a place in the Coca-Cola Socceroos, following their selection for the three matches against Sweden.

"There isn't any doubt about what I would do if Graham Arnold was back from Belgium and Frank Farina from Italy," Thomson said. "However they aren't available, and that leaves the squad's strikers - and those contending for other positions that are to be settled - to prove what they can do.

"Striking is the toughest job on the field, and strikers the world over have good spells and bad. Right now is the time for the strikers to really show their wares."

Thomson is certain to give leading fringe candidates the chance to succeed in tonight's major promotion at Mitre 10 Stadium.

Key players for the Socceroos include the possible first choice defence of goalkeeper Robert Zabica (Adelaide City), Ned Zelic (Sydney Olympic), Ian Gray (Marconi Fairfield), Andrew Bernal (Sydney Olympic), Alex Tobin (Adelaide City), and Tony Vidmar (Adelaide City). The Breakers have scored in away matches against the two clubs who make up the bulk of this defence, namely Adelaide City and Sydney Olympic.

(Continued)

Skipper Paul Wade and Mike Petersen, both from South Melbourne are the likely midfield pairing, although against the Breakers in both rounds of the NSL, the South Melbourne midfield were found not to be invincible. Branko Milosevic (Melbourne Croatia) is a strong contender for a place in the Socceroo midfield combination.

There are other players that have caught Thomsons eye. He continues to rate Ernie Tapai (Adelaide City) highly, and has a word of fatherly advice for the returning Tom McCulloch (Marconi Fairfield).

"I had Tommy as a youngster, and the pleasing thing is that he has become much more consistent this year," he said. "He is not a stop gap choice, and it is up to him to prove that he can again kick along in international company."

Wide left players Jason van Blerk (APIA Leichhardt) and Alistair Edwards (Sydney Olympic) are both under consideration, after broadening their experience in Belgium and Malaysia respectively.

Whilst the Coca-Cola Socceros are looking ahead to their future World Cup commitments, Sweden have a more immediate target. As hosts of the European Championships in June, their first aim is to use the Australian three match tournament to build up to a high rating in that magnificent series.

"They will be keyed up and playing out of their skins, with places in their European Nations Championship team up for grabs." Thomson said.

With the Socceros also 'keyed up and playing out of their skins' for a place in the Australian squad, the Newcastle Breakers face a mammoth task tonight.

Although the home crowd tonight will no doubt fully support the fledgling Breakers team, Socceroo Coach Thomson, his experienced assistant Les Scheinflug and players and officials will have the Newcastle sporting public well behind them as they endeavour to scale the heights in the unbelievably competitive world football game.

STOP PRESS...STOP PRESS...STOP PRESS...STOP PRESS...STOP PRESS...STOP PRESS...

NEWCASTLE BHP BREAKERS PRESENT THE F.A. CUP FINAL SPECIAL DINNER

NEWCASTLE BHP BREAKERS CLUB - (Austral United Soccer Football Club Ltd.)
SANDGATE ROAD BIRMINGHAM GARDENS PHONE (049) 51 2475

SATURDAY 9 MAY 1992 8pm \$10 per ticket

STOP PRESS...STOP PRESS...STOP PRESS...STOP PRESS...STOP PRESS...STOP PRESS...

NEWCASTLE BHP BREAKERS PRESENT THE F.A. CUP FINAL SPECIAL DINNER

Watch the big match in comfort...Large screen TV...Stereo sound...Soccer movies...Top band...Finals teams decorations...football memorabilia display...Fish 'n Chips 'n Mushy Peas & other traditional English food... Golden Goals Competition...Prizes galore to win...Win English & Aussie playing strips...Organize a table of your friends and play WEMBLEY(tm) The Thrilling Cup Tie Game!...Limited tickets available!!!

NEWCASTLE BHP BREAKERS CLUB - (Austral United Soccer Football Club Ltd.)
SANDGATE ROAD BIRMINGHAM GARDENS PHONE (049) 51 2475

SATURDAY 9 MAY 1992 8pm \$10 per ticket

WE WISH THE SOCCEROOS SUCCESS IN THEIR GAMES AGAINST SWEDEN

* * * * *

GREG TAPP PRINTING
14 POWER STREET,
ISLINGTON
PH: (049) 61 6969



Western Suburbs (Ncle) Leagues Club

Hobart & Tauranga Rds 525 222 New Lambton

An open invitation for you to visit our Club.
Once you have visited you will want to make it your Club.

CLUB KENO

Wests World of Food & Entertainment

Hobarts International Cuisine at its very best. 6 Nights

Family Bistro- Exciting meals and snacks.

Cafe West Italian & Australian fare. Fri/Sat/Sun

Emerald Gardens Exquisite Cantonese Cuisine

The Coffee Stop Fast Food with Italian Style Coffee

Visit Wests after the game & receive

FREE CAPPUCCINO

Present this voucher at our "Coffee Stop"
and receive a free Cappuccino with any
purchase of \$2 or more

Valid any day after 3pm until December 31st 1991

Macquarie Stationery Co.

(Formerly Hunter The Stationer)
AUSTRALIAN OWNED



STOCKISTS & SUPPLIERS OF
ALL YOUR OFFICE STATIONERY NEEDS



JUST A PHONE CALL AWAY ON

56 1088

FAX No. 56 1189

29 Kings Road, New Lambton

There are Credit Unions and there's Hunter United.

Consistently the region's leader with both loan and investment rates.
But don't take our word for it! Compare for yourself and then
call in and see us.

Hunter  United
Employees' Credit Union Ltd

Head Office Selwyn Street, Mayfield East, NSW 2304 Correspondence: PO Box 851 Newcastle NSW 2300 Phone (049) 69 3622

Charlestown Square: 43 2441 Garden City Kotara: 57 4447

Green Hills East Maitland: 34 2622 Market Square Newcastle: 26 4455 Stockland Mall Jesmond: 51 7666 On-site branches at A. Gorman & Co.,
BHP Wire Products, Comsteel Co., Sanitarium Health Food Co. and Pasmenco Metals — Sulphide.



LAWLER DAVIDSON

Chartered Accountants

LEADING WITH CREATIVE BUSINESS SOLUTIONS

NEWCASTLE:
763 Hunter Street,
NEWCASTLE WEST
Telephone (049) 622 688

MAITLAND:
1st Floor, Creighs Building,
Cnr Lawes & High Streets,
EAST MAITLAND
Telephone (049) 331 033

TERRIGAL:
Suite 2, 16 Church Street,
TERRIGAL
Telephone (043) 841 188



MATCH

EDITOR'S
FORECAST

YOUR
FORECAST

RESULT

B.H.P. BREAKERS	vs	Parramatta Melita	home
South Melbourne	vs	Marconi	draw
Preston	vs	West Adelaide	away
Sydney Olympic	vs	Brisbane United	home
Wollongong City	vs	Melbourne Croatia	draw
Adelaide City	vs	Heidelberg United	home
Sydney Croatia	vs	Heidelberg United	home

COCA COLA LEAGUE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
M'bourne Croatia	18	11	4	3	34	17	26
Sth Melbourne	18	10	3	5	41	19	23
Wollongong City	18	8	6	4	18	10	22
Adelaide City	18	7	8	3	22	14	22
Sydney Olympic	18	8	6	4	24	20	22
Apia Leichhardt	18	6	6	6	19	22	18
P'matta Melita	18	4	9	5	15	15	17
Brisbane United	18	5	7	6	19	24	17
Sydney Croatia	18	5	6	7	17	22	16
Heidelberg	18	5	5	8	19	24	15
West Adelaide	18	5	5	8	17	31	15
Marconi	18	5	4	9	21	23	14
B.H.P. BREAKERS	18	3	7	8	14	25	13
Preston	18	3	6	9	12	26	12

YOUTH LEAGUE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
P'matta Melita	17	13	3	1	39	14	29
Sydney Croatia	18	12	4	2	56	16	28
Sydney Olympic	18	14	0	4	46	17	28
Marconi	16	12	2	2	56	17	26
A.I.S. Canberra	13	8	3	2	45	15	19
Apia Leichhardt	18	8	3	7	29	31	19
Wollongong City	17	7	4	6	32	25	18
Olympic Colts	17	6	4	7	23	28	16
N'CLE BREAKERS	18	6	2	10	23	32	14
Croatia Colts	18	4	3	11	24	44	11
Adamstown	16	3	2	11	22	38	8
Highfield Azz	17	3	2	12	20	48	8
St George	18	2	3	13	20	58	7
W'gong Mac'	17	2	3	12	11	63	7



PLAYER OF THE YEAR

up to and including Apia Leichhardt

Ian	HEDDLE	49
Andy	ROBERTS	32
Bobby	NAUMOV	25
Andy	KOCZKA	19
Ralph	MAIER	18
Noel	BARKLEY	17
Nick	MEREDITH	16

 **Ray White**

MAYFIELD

Real Estate Agents - Auctioneers
Residential & Commercial
Property Management

TELEPHONE: (049) 67 2244

211 MAITLAND ROAD,
MAYFIELD, N.S.W. 2304

1992 AUSTRALIA-SWEDEN TOURNAMENT THE COCA-COLA SOCCEROOS MATCHES

Sydney — Sydney Football Stadium Sunday, January 26, 7.30 pm
Adelaide — Hindmarsh Stadium Wednesday, January 29, 8.00 pm
Melbourne — Olympic Park Sunday, February 2, 7.30 pm



**SPORTS EXCHANGE
AUSTRALIA**

Organisers of overseas sporting
tournaments specialising in soccer

NEWCASTLE OFFICE:
Newcastle Austral Office, Sandgate Rd, Farningham Gardens,
2287, NSW, Australia
Telephone: (049) 51 7360 - Fax: (049) 51 7815

**Coca-Cola
NATIONAL**

**SOCCER
LEAGUE
'91**

NEWCASTLE BHP BREAKERS

1	Mike	GIBSON
2	Ralph	MAIER
3	Ian	HEDDLE
4	Andy	ROBERTS
5	Andy	KOZCKA (Capt)
6	Craig	MOFFIT
7	Darren	NORTHAM
8	Bobby	NAUMOV
9	John	KOCH
10	Pierre	ESSERS
11	Nick	MEREDITH
12	Brad	MALONEY
13	Darren	HILLIER
	Dean	ADAMSON
	Ben	LANE
	John	RUSSELL

SOCCEROO'S

Robert	ZABICA	Adelaide City
Ian	GRAY	Marconi
Ned	ZELIC	Sydney Olympic
Alex	TOBIN	Adelaide City
Andrew	BERNAL	Sydney Olympic
Tony	VIDMAR	Adelaide City
Ernie	TAPIA	Adelaide City
Mike	PETERSON	Sth Melbourne
Paul	WADE (Capt)	Sth Melbourne
Alistair	EDWARDS	Sydney Olympic
Jason	van BLERK	Apia Liechhardt
Milan	IVANOVIC	Adelaide City
Tom	MCCULLOCH	Marconi
Warren	SPINK	Preston
Paul	TRIMBOLL	Sth Melbourne
Branko	MILOSEVIC	Melbourne Cro'
Steve	MAXWELL	Adelaide City
Mehmet	DURAKOVIC	Sth Melbourne

**Coca-Cola
NATIONAL**

**SOCCER
LEAGUE
'91**

Manager: Bruce Stowell

Ass: Bob Mountford

Colours: Red/Blue

Coach: Eddie Thompson

Ass: Les Scheinflug

Colours: Green/Gold

OFFICIALS:

Ref: Robbie Davies

Line: Graham Finn

Barry Ross



CHARLESTOWN TOYOTA PLAYER of the YEAR

BRISBANE UNITED		SYDNEY OLYMPIC		W'GONG CITY		PRESTON	
Brad Maloney	6	Darren Hillier	6	Ian Heddle	3	Bobby Naumov	7
Dominic Longo	4	John Koch	5	Mike Gibson	3	Mike Gibson	3
Darren Northam	2	Ian Heddle	4	Ralph Maier	3	Brad Maloney	3
Andy Koczka	2	Craig Moffit	2	Dominic Longo	3	Ian Heddle	2
Mike Gibson	2	Andy Roberts	1	Nick Meredith	2	Craig Moffit	2
Bobby Naumov	1			Craig Moffit	2	Andy Koczka	1
Andy Roberts	1			Andy Roberts	2		

Progressive points score on Beat the Editor page.

HAVE MONEY, WILL SPEND

If only we could secure so generous a supporter as Sydney Olympic. Some \$10,000 short of obtaining the services of one Ned Zelic, Sir Arther George, one time president of the Australian Soccer Federation, opened his cheque book to bridge the gap.

A similar sum would have gone along way to purchasing a striker for the Breakers.

Anyone out there with a few thousand to spare?

You can judge for yourself if the money was well spent by Olympic, Ned should be wearing the Green and Gold tonight.

ON THE SUBJECT OF MONEY

Further to the story above Sydney Olympic have generated funds for their team for many years by conducting a Miss Sydney Olympic Quest. This year they raised in excess of \$80,000 for the club.

The girls were rewarded for their efforts, every girl that raised over \$15,000 received the wonderful prize of a trip to Greece.

Question, can it be done in Newcastle?

Answer, Yes.

Next question, is there someone prepared to assist?

Do I hear a reply?

Newcastle has many talented and pretty girls I'm sure together this could be a successful venture.

Give some thought to the idea, you can contact Derek Cunningham, Eddie Boards, a direction or any official in the first instance. We will then meet to put a plan into action.

LUCKY PROGRAM WINNERS

Brisbane United	Wollongong City	Preston
Craig Melros, Adamstown	M. Roughley, Pelican	Gary Arthur, Kahibah
Karen Price, B'ham Gardens	Michael O'Donoghue, Wallsend	Fred Dixon, Salamander

Each won a \$30 open order from Friths Retravisson, Toronto.

JAYES 50 Years of Caring

for the HOLIDAY and TRAVEL needs of
Newcastle, the Hunter Valley and Central Coast.

- ★ PRIVATE HOLIDAYS
- ★ COACH TOURS
- ★ CRUISES
- ★ AIR PACKAGES
- ★ SPORTING TOURS

**ON THE
BALL
TRAVEL
ADVICE
EVERY TIME!**



THERE'S SURE TO BE A JAYES NEAR YOU!!

NEWCASTLE.....	285 HUNTER STREET	Ph: (049) 26-2000
BELMONT	39 MACQUARIE STREET	45-0044
CESSNOCK	109 VINCENT STREET	90-5666
CHARLESTOWN	176 PACIFIC HIGHWAY	43-6388
GARDEN CITY.....	SHOPPING CENTRE, ADAMSTOWN	57-0277
MAITLAND.....	415 HIGH STREET	33-3077
RAYMOND TERRACE	3/40 WILLIAM STREET	87-1677
TORONTO	WESTLAKES ARCADE, THE BOULEVARDE	59-4011
GOSFORD.....	110 MANN STREET	Ph: (043) 24-1822

Also at: EUROTRAVEL..... 103 TUDOR STREET, HAMILTON Ph: (049) 69-3877

LIC No.: TA2000103

THE DIFFERENCE YOU'RE LOOKING FOR



BY PETER OWEN

FOR ALL YOUR SIGNWRITING NEEDS

- ☐ VEHICLES ☐ COMPUTER LETTERING
- ☐ HONOUR BOARDS ☐ DEPENDABLE SERVICE

8 CREST ROAD, WALLSEND
PHONE (049) 55 8077 FAX (049) 559 264

Is your insurance due?
For an obligation free quote

A PHONE CALL TO US COULD SAVE YOU MONEY!

Gallacher Pond
Insurance Brokers Pty Ltd

Officially appointed Broker to "The Newcastle Breakers" Club

Registered General Insurance Brokers

Specialising in: Tradesman Insurances, Householders,
Motor Vehicles, Business Insurances, Green Slips.

Suite 4, 91 Frederick St, Merewether Phone 63 5900

Brian Pond - David Gallacher - David Shields



NEWCASTLE SPEEDSOCCER CENTRE

Whether it is *Serious, *Social,
or *Junior Competitions, or the best indoor
soccer facilities, speedsoccer is for you.!

Call Keith or Ken
on 54-5305

ANTENNA
DISTRIBUTION SERVICES
PTY. LTD.



U.H.F.

ANTENNA KITS

FREE DELIVERY METROPOLITAN AREA
FREE INSTALLATION ADVICE

5 4 6 8 6 6

354 MAIN ROAD, CARDIFF

• SALES • SERVICE • SPARES • INSTALLATIONS

AUSTRAL U/15s

Name	School	Rep Honours
1 Darren PONMAN	Glendale High	Bill Turner Cup Newcastle U/13
2 Shyane BROWN	Glendale High	Bill Turner Cup Northern NSW U/13 NSW U/13 Newcastle U/13 Macquarie U/14
3 Chad GRIFFITHS	Glendale High	Northern Dist Perth
4 Ryan SMITH	St Peters Maitland	Bill Turner Cup Newcastle U/13 Northern NSW U/13
5 Craig WALLWORK	St Marys Gateshead	Bill Turner Cup Mac' Amateurs U/11,12 Northern NSW U/13,14
6 Michael CHAPMAN	Lambton High	Bill Turner Cup N'cle Amateurs U/12
7 Adam RUTLEDGE	Toronto High	Bill Turner Cup Newcastle U/13 Macquarie U/14
8 Robbie TRUE	St Clemente Mayfield	N'cle Amateurs U/11,12,14 Macquarie U/14 Japan Tour
9 Lindsay JAMIESON	Toronto High	Newcastle U/13 Northern NSW U/13
10 Ben MOODY	Swansea High	Bill Turner Cup Mac' Amateurs U/11,12 Macquarie U/13 Newcastle U/14
11 Mathew HELENSKI	Broadmeadow High	N'cle Amateurs U/11 Japan Tour U/12
12 Mark NEVIN	Wallsend High	Bill Turner Cup N'cle Amateurs U/11,12 Japan Tour
13 Clayton ZANE	St Clemente	N'cle Amateurs U/12,14 Japan Tour
14 Arron IVORY	Glendale High	Newcastle U/11

Coach: Allan Jones

Manager: tba

WESTON BEARS U/15s

Name	School	Rep Honours
1 Michael CONDRON	Kurri Kurri High	Bill Turner Cup
2 Ben WILE	St Peters High	Bill Turner Cup Hunter District U/12 Newcastle U/12 Northern Dist U/11 Coalfields U/13
3 Mathew STANBRIDGE	Kurri Kurri High	Bill Turner Cup Coalfields U/13
4 Brett CROUCH	St Peters High	Hunter District Northern Dist Coalfields U/13 Newcastle U/12
5 Daniel CAMPBELL	St Peters High	Coalfields U/13 Lakes U/14 Northern NSW U/14
6 Dean JOHNSON	Kurri Kurri High	Bill Turner Cup Hunter Dist U/11 Coalfields U/13
7 Michael HAMILTON	Kurri Kurri High	Bill Turner Cup Newcastle U/12 Hunter Dist U/11
8 Matthew PURCELL	Kurri Kurri High	Bill Turner Cup
9 Paul DUGGAN	St Peters High	Hunter Dist U/11,12,13
10 Matthew COOK	St Peters High	Bill Turner Cup
11 Mark HARRIS	Kurri Kurri High	Hunter Dist U/11,12 Northern NSW U/12 Newcastle U/13
12 Berrin HAWLEY	Kurri Kurri High	Bill Turner Cup Alice Springs U/14 N/Territory U/14
13 Matthew JONES	Kurri Kurri High	
14 Wayne BRAMHAM	Kurri Kurri High	

Coach: Peter Stanbridge.

Manager: Stephen McIntosh.

CHARLESTOWN TOYOTA PLAYER of the YEAR

Sydney Croatia

Bobby Naumov	6
Darren Hillier	4
Darren Northam	3
Ian Heddle	3
Andy Roberts	2

Apia Leichhardt

Andy Roberts	8
Ian Heddle	4
Bobby Naumov	3
Brad Maloney	2
Mike Gibson	1

Progressive points score on Beat the Editor page.

NORTHERN N.S.W. SOCCER FEDERATION
JUNIOR SUPER LEAGUE.

The formation of a Junior Super League, a competition designed for talented and ambitious players, had been talked about a number of years prior to its inception in 1987.

A planning committee which comprised of Newcastle ASA, Macquarie ASA, Hunter District JSA and three directors of the NNSW Soccer Federation agreed upon a set of rules for a junior super league—in 1986, with the competition to commence the following year.

The purpose of the new competition was to provide an avenue for the development of talented and ambitious young soccer players in the Hunter Valley by providing,

- * a higher competitive competition
- * better grounds and facilities
- * the best referees
- * minimum Level 11 coaching

Eight clubs submitted teams in the inaugural year which culminated in a most successful Grand Final night under lights at Adamstown Oval. A crowd in excess of 2000 watched the cream of Newcastle soccer play for the honour of being the first Super League Grand Final winners.

1989 saw the inclusion of teams from Taree and Port Macquarie, Peter Gunning, Dean McWhirter and Gary Philips were North Coast juniors, it was a natural progression to expand into the northern, giving the soccer hopefuls from the north the opportunity to play against stronger competition.

After four seasons and the chance to evaluate the progress that has been made some minor changes were needed.

With Newcastle Australs playing in N.S.W. State League in 1988/91 many young players had ambitions to play for that club. As Austral became the BREAKERS, in the National League, the problem would have become more critical, so steps were taken to control the gravitation to one club, a situation that would have weakened the Super League base.

In the 1992 season "zoning" will be introduced at under 13 years level, a natural progression in the following four years until all age groups comply. The co-operation of the district associations was necessary before the move could be implemented, their foresight in agreeing to the changes has to be complimented.

Basically players will be required to play in the district they live, this will encourage clubs to develop their own players knowing they will not be "poached" as they begin to show promise.

In the case of the Macquarie Association and the Hunter District Association they will only select boys from their geographic area for their representative teams, they will also be active in monitoring of the each J.S.L. clubs within their boundaries, should any club get into difficulties they can take appropriate action to ensure that the game is put first, even to the extent of requesting that another club should replace the one in difficulty.

The Northern New South Wales Soccer Federation is keen to see the idea of Junior Super League expand further afield, taking the world game to the country areas.

While it is the off season for Junior Super League the two teams you will see playing this evening, Austral vs Weston Bears, is a sample of what you can see every weekend during the winter months.



SUPPORTING THE
NEWCASTLE BHP BREAKERS
'We're with you'

PROUDLY SPONSORED BY:



Newcastle's
BHP
Steel

No Zone

Handwritten signatures and scribbles are present throughout the image, including:

- Top left: A large, flowing signature.
- Top center: Two overlapping signatures.
- Top right: A signature.
- Bottom left: A large, stylized signature.
- Bottom center: A signature.
- Bottom right: A large, flowing signature.